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See our very extensive line at popular prices. All the season's newest fabrics represented in solid and fancy effects; modeled in the same fashion as our higher grades. Make your selections early. Prices \$8.50 to \$18

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Our Fall Suits for young men are splendid examples of high class tailoring, made on the same lines as our high class men's suits. The pattern is as appealing to young men as to men. Prices \$8 to \$15



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New Fall and Winter Shoes



We know our line of Men's fine shoes for the coming Fall and Winter surpasses that of any former season. The stock is much larger hence a greater range of styles. You will find all shapes from the sharp toe for the young men to the wider shapes for older persons, and all leathers. Patent Vici, Patent Colt, Vici Kid, Box Calf and Gun Metal, made in bal, and Blucher styles.

Three of the Best Makes

"Florsheim" \$1.00 to \$6.00 "Crossett" \$3.50 to \$4.00 "Abbot" \$3 to \$3.50

New Neckwear

The large shipment of Fall neckwear received this week includes every new shape and coloring. You will know how quickly neckwear is picked over, so come early and lay in a supply for Fall.

Prices, 25, 35 and 50c

Furnishings

Buy your furnishings early and get it off your mind. New things in SHIRTS, HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR, &c.

—The Popular— "BEAVER"

Best hat that can be produced for \$3, made of finest selected beaver fur felt, finest silk trimmings, plain or bound edge, in all the new and nobby, soft and stiff shapes, at-- \$3.00

Other grades in similar shapes and styles at-- \$1.00 to \$2.50

Boys Hats

In the new telescope shape. The most popular style for fall. Black and pearl at \$1.00 to \$2.00.



CAPS We received this week a new lot of boys caps in the new shades and colors. Price 25 to 75c.

HICKMAN, KY. SMITH & AMBERC HICKMAN, KY.

Two Cent Fare on Railroads, New Ohio Law. It may be several years or even general decades too soon before the rapid growth of the interurban car lines which now form a network in many Northern and Eastern states, and in some are the serious inroads upon the passenger business of the railroads. It will perhaps be surprising to know that in Connecticut the trolley roads carry more passengers than the steam roads, and it is well known that the rates of fare are much cheaper. According to the annual report of railroad commissioners of Connecticut the electric roads carried over 50 per cent more passengers in 1905 than the steam lines. The steam roads carried 64,403,149 passengers and the trolleys 102,849,160. The steam roads injured 790 persons, 184 fatally, while the trolleys injured 465, 28 of them fatally. The total stocks, bonds and floating debts of the trolley companies amounted to \$68,048,532, an increase of \$12,000,000 over the previous year. Thus a comparison may be made of the passenger business of the two kinds of roads to the advantage of the electric roads and the people in account of the convenience of travel afforded and the cheapness. The average rate per mile on electric roads is less than two cents, and in many instances one cent per mile is the regular fare. That this is not too little is proven by the great financial success of these electric lines and their rapid spread all over the United States. The railroads are watching the growth of the electric roads in many states with some alarm and wherever the state railroad commissioners will allow them they meet the reduced passenger rates between certain points. In the case of an electric line connecting two large cities in Texas, the general passenger agent of a railroad line between the two cities announced that he would cut the fare on his road from one dollar to ten cents if the electric line made the fare too low. The fare now in force on both the electric and the steam road is two cents per mile between the two cities, but the steam road is allowed by the Texas railroad commission to sell a five-hundred-mile book good only between these points at \$5, which gives the railroad the advantage so far as regular business is concerned. So it may be deduced that the electric roads will be the greatest medium for bringing about the reduction of railroad fares. Since the new railroad rate law went into effect a great deal of free and reduced transportation is cut off and the beneficiaries of such have not yet been heard from, but a howl is expected sooner or later, and the howl will be attended by a demand for lower passenger rates on the railroads. The new Ohio two-cent law, which was at first thought to be entirely too radical, is found to be working admirably and the railroads are actually reporting an increase in passenger earnings. Railroads that cross Ohio and run into other states did not at first like the idea of a two-cent rate, and were prepared to hear that it didn't work, but they now find out differently, and are actually preparing to reduce their rates in other states. The Pennsylvania road was the first to announce the reduction policy and now rates are two and a half cents per mile on that road in Pennsylvania, with 1,000 mile books sold at two cents per mile. The Vanderbilt lines are expected to follow, and other states are expected to fall in line very soon with Ohio on the two-cent fare proposition. Abe Walker, a negro charged with violating the local option law at Croeno, was last Saturday tried before a justice of the peace here and convicted. He was fined \$500. In default he was placed in jail and shortly afterward, with ball and chain decorating a foot, went to work on the rockpile. When Jailer Cobb happened around that way again in about half an hour Walker had disappeared. With a rock he had beaten the chain in two, and with a short bit of it hanging to him had taken his departure. From that time to this he has not been, so far as the officers know. Charleston Enterprise. Wonder if this is Union City's Abe?

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HENRY WATTERSON

So much has been said about Col. Henry Watterson, his attitude toward Mr. Bryan in 1896, and his changed attitude in the present campaign. Whatever may be said of the veteran democrat, we believe he is a conscientious democrat, true to his convictions, and not one to sit on the fence and fall to whichever side public opinion would tend to dictate. The Courier admires this kind of a man, even though his convictions be other than ours. He is a man of brains, he thinks for himself, and stands true to his convictions, acting according to dictates of conscience. The campaign of 1896 has passed into history and why not let by-gones be by-gones? Mr. Watterson is now standing loyal to Democracy, and is accomplishing and will accomplish good. Below we reproduce a clipping from the Chicago Chronicle and Mr. Watterson's comment on it:

"Like ancient Pistol, Henry Watterson cuts the lock. He swallows the Bryan dose and vows that he likes it. The performance is not genuine, however, for though Bryan is the same old Bryan, Watterson is not the same old Watterson."

What language is this, and how does it describe, or explain, or throw light upon, the political situation, or any aspect thereof? What can the Chronicle mean by such terms as "leak" and "dose" as applicable to prevailing conditions? Is Government a diet? Is politics a phytic? Must thoughtful men be controlled in their attitude toward public affairs by mere personal likes and dislikes?

What think you? The editor of the Courier-Journal does not oppose Mr. Bryan in 1896 because he disliked Mr. Bryan, and does not support him now because he has fallen in love with him. As a matter of fact Mr. Watterson has at no time had sufficient knowledge of Mr. Bryan, having had no personal intercourse at all, either to like or dislike him, and, except to the most narrow and partisan fancy, there is not an iota of inconsistency in the support he is now giving him, though, if there were, he would not mind it. In the least, since it is wise men and brave men who may change their opinions, whilst only fools and cowards stick to theirs, in spite of wind and wave. With respect to Mr. Bryan, however, Mr. Watterson has had no stifle no conviction, or repudiate any antecedent. Times have changed. Conditions have changed. That is all. Mr. Watterson is a democrat, and has always been a democrat, never a Republican. Essential differences out of the way, Democrats are getting together. Mr. Bryan is going to be nominated by acclamation in the next Democratic National Convention. The Courier-Journal is going to support him and now you have it.

What else? What? Go to! Get the to a blacksmith shop? Don't take thy brother for a bump on a loe?

WHERE IS THE EQUITY?

It is a question of the utmost simplicity—where is the equity? The word equity means impartial distribution of justice; now which do you, an impartial judge, think is equity, for the hard working sons of toil to raise their crops for the consumption of the public, to be under-priced by the dictates of the speculators and gamblers on the boards of trade, who know not the value of a dollar or what a day's labor means—or do you think it is equity for these sons of toil to organize, and, after they have by the sweat of their brows, produced that which must be consumed by the public, demand a price for it that will justify its production? According to the literal meaning, im-

partial distribution of justice, for equality to exist the farmer must have his just share of the value of the produce that he, himself raises. We think you decide in the behalf of the producer, for in truth, therein is the equity. While this great farmers' movement is yet practically in its infancy, the marked results may be seen throughout the country, and the resulting benefits would be seen to a greater extent if the farmers themselves would wake up to their own interests. The Courier believes they ought to be given more encouragement, and that on the other hand they ought to quit napping and conjecturing and take hold. If they don't it won't be long until they'll be classed with the "used-to-be's."

A goodly number of circular letters were received by the local subscribers of the Cumberland Telephone Company this week, admonishing the people against encouraging a competitive Telephone company. These people insist that it is better to have one telephone company in a town with fair rates and good service than it is to have a competitive company and be separated, so to speak, by two lines. Now we have heard not a small amount of discussion about this letter, and not considering what other people think about the matter we think that if the Cumberland people would give us good service at the rates that their franchise calls for, which are 15 cents per month less than the patrons are paying, there would not be so much dissatisfaction as there is. The franchise that these people have calls for is the best of service and the best instruments that are available for \$1.50 per month for residences and \$2.50 for business houses. Under these circumstances it looks like unless these people comply with their part of the contract, (which a franchise is,) the city has the right to declare void the franchise and allow another company to enter the field. A petition has been sent to the managers of the Cumberland and apprise them of the facts. Of course it must be understood that the local manager has nothing to do with this part of it and should not be censured for the failure of his company to comply with the franchise, but something should be done to prevent these people from charging these exorbitant rates. This overcharge will amount to not less than \$30.00 a month to the local patrons. This is about \$350.00 a year and is quite an item.

Talk about politics, well they are warming up some. Our sister state, Tennessee, is keeping abreast of us, even though there is a poem which ends—"And politics are the damnedest in Kentucky." The Mayfield Messenger comes out in a flaming editorial against the Monitor for crossing over from the McCreary to the Beckham lines, when in reality it would take the power of a compound microscope and the genius of a Philadelphia lawyer to discern which side of the fence it is on.

We take it for granted that parents are as much if not more interested in the advancement of their children at school as are the teachers, and no teacher takes delight in a pupil's failure. The management simply wishes to call the attention of the parents to the facts in the case and urgently request, no demand, that nothing be allowed to interfere with the progress of their children in school work.

Congressman Hepburn, chairman of the House Committee, declares that amendments to the new railway rate law are almost certain to be made at the next session of Congress. The changes largely will be in the nature of simplifying certain parts of the act and making enforcement easier.

The vital statistics announce a striking increase in the number of suicides in Chicago. Easy remedy. Don't live in Chicago.

Business Begins With Our Merchants This Week.

The regular fall business is beginning with the merchants this week, and by next week will be in full blast. The largest volume of business ever known in the history of Hickman is expected to be done here this fall, and from what we can learn all our merchants are prepared to cope with conditions. All the buyers have been to market and returned and already the new goods are arriving. Each season seems to inspire the merchants to excel the former one in the quality of goods bought and the much desired result is that there can be found here a line of goods that cannot be excelled outside the metropolitan department stores. You will do well to investigate the goods that our merchants offer and we feel quite sure that you will have no need to go any further than one of our local stores to get what you want. Read the advertisements of the advertisers in the Courier this week as well as every week hereafter as long as the season lasts and see what they have for you to see.

Election Officers Named By the Commissioners.

The following is a list of Election Officers as appointed by the County Board of Election Commissioners, which met at the Court House Sept. 19, 1906.

EAST FULTON—W. P. Felts, judge; J. L. Clanton, judge; Earl Boaz, clerk; J. H. Knighton, sheriff.

WEST FULTON—W. T. Carr and W. K. Hall, judges; D. W. Hughes, clerk; J. F. Royster, sheriff.

LODGSTON—Lee Binford and N. H. Bellow, judges; S. J. Fletcher, clerk; Jess Cashion, sheriff.

CAYCE—J. L. Atwill and F. J. Wilds, judges; Ardelle Johnson, clerk; Ed Barber, sheriff.

EAST HICKMAN—L. C. Lunaford and R. C. Boston, judges; J. A. McClure, clerk; R. E. Millet, sheriff.

WEST HICKMAN—Ed Ellison and A. Cassel, judges; J. A. Dutton, clerk; Jim Hunt, sheriff.

SPASAFRAS RIDGE—W. G. Perry and C. M. Brown, judges; W. Stanley, clerk; S. H. Hadden, sheriff.

MADRID BEND—J. R. Adams and Jas. Whitton, judges; Joe C. Hawkins, clerk; Jas. Laater, sheriff.

Revival Services.

A protracted meeting will begin at the Methodist church next Sunday. The church has been called to daily prayer for the meeting. The pastor has urged upon the congregation for several Sundays to make all needed preparations for the coming revival. All Christians and friends of the church are invited to co-operate in this work.

After being out fifty-two hours, the jury brought in a verdict, acquitting H. H. Loving of the charge of murdering H. A. Rose, at Paducah, August 3, last year, in Loving's office in the Fraternity building. Loving and Rose had been partners, disagreed and Loving claimed he shot Rose in self-defense. The jury stood nine for acquittal and three for conviction until the final vote.

Mr. Joe Curtin, late of Jordan, is now stationed behind the counters at E. C. Rice's and will be glad to have his friends come see him, as well as have others come in and be his friends.

The M. & O. and N. C. & St. L. R. R. have both made rates of one fare plus 25 cents to Union City's greatest fair. Their running, trotting, and pacing races are alone worth going miles to see.

Chas. Mier and daughter, Miss May, formerly of Hickman, passed Hickman on the Stacker Lee, enroute from St. Louis to their home in New Madrid, Mo.

Wm. White and Miss Amanda Rolling, both of Fulton, were married Sunday by Rev. M. E. Dodd.

Don't get Bosco mixed up with Jno. L., but they will both be at Union City Sept. 26th to 29th.

Dorena Items.

Our community was saddened last week by the death of Mr. John Soren. The remains were laid to rest in Brown's graveyard Friday. Sympathy is extended the bereaved relatives.

Mrs. Kittle White spent a few days with her parents at Cayce last week.

Guy Byassee and Carl Aydelotte were in Charleston Saturday and Sunday.

Messrs. Guy Hall and Charlie Aydelotte accompanied Gertrude and Lillian Hall to East Prairie Saturday.

Mrs. Lella Shaw attended the show in Hickman last week.

Miss Irene Moss spent Monday with Miss Lucy Burrus.

Dr. D. C. Maddox left Monday for Nashville to resume his studies in medicine.

Miss Beas Threlkeld is reported quite ill at Hernando, Miss., where she has a position as teacher.

Mr. Lee Maddox has his house under construction.

Miss Lena Threlkeld is teaching a music class at Arlington, Ky.

Route Four Items.

Mrs. J. C. Roper and daughter, Miss Nellie, visited near Lodgston this week.

Guy Saunders spent Sunday with home folks.

Hazel Dell school has closed on account of the illness of the teacher.

Miss Lottie Linder, who has been very sick, is now able to be up but not able to attend school.

Miss Ruby is sick this week.

Miss Mal Henry spent Monday night with Miss Beasie Roper.

Misses Beas Roper and Mal and Dee Henry attended church at Cayce Friday night.

Jim Mayes attended church at Cayce Friday night.

Mrs. J. D. Mayes left for Paducah, Ark., Thursday.

Kathleen French has been ill of fever at the home of Mr. W. B. Clarke for several days.

R. A. Tyler is in Nashville this week, attending a wedding.

Bayouville News.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Plummer, Springfield Mo., arrived on the Herald Wednesday. Mr. Plummer returned on Stacker Lee. Plummer will remain a while longer.

Messrs. Coleman, Barnes and Plummer spent Friday morning fishing. They report a large catch and plenty of fish.

Mr. Coleman and Mrs. Plummer and little Alice Ballew spent the afternoon on the Monday.

There have been several prompt dances lately.

Chester Barnes, at present spent Saturday and Sunday at his father's accompanying to Kentucky home.

Mrs. Kircendall left Sunday for East Prairie to visit her mother.

Mrs. Blake, of East Prairie, has been visiting in the neighborhood for the last two weeks.

We are sorry to learn of the illness of Miss Ollie Hadden.

Mrs. Coleman and daughter, Plummer and Mrs. Ballew, and little children left on the Saturday for Memphis to visit.

Mrs. Coleman, at present, visit Laura and Tom at their home.

T. A. Ballew after a long visit here left for his Arkansas home Tuesday via East Prairie.

Messrs. Sanders and family were here one day last week.

One hundred dollars a week offered to any one who would even before Jno. L.'s sparring party for a friendly boxing contest, to put out your bullies and let the game they are.

Jumping from a moving train, Cairo, P. J. Thistlewood, a grain dealer of that place, broke his neck, dying almost instantly.

Fall Announcement

Our Fall line of Shelby Shoe Co's. stylish shoes for women is now ready.

We offer all that is correct in the way of perfect shoe making and daintiness of appearance, suited to the particular woman.

Prices \$2.50 to \$3.50

\$1.50 to \$2.00 (cheaper ones, if you want them).

Good School Shoes for good boys.

Shoes that wear for pretty girls.

We are showing the latest creations in Millinery, and largest and most complete line. Mrs. Graves will be glad to show you.

Cash Shoe Store,

E. C. Rice & Company

Democratic Candidate for State Offices.

The primary races as made up at present, and it does not appear that there will be any additional starters as follows:

For United States Senator—James B. McCreary and J. C. W. Beckham.
For Governor—S. W. Hager and N. B. Hays.

For Auditor—Henry B. Hine and Henry Bosworth.
For Secretary of State—Hubert Vreeland.

For Treasurer—Ruby Linton and June W. Gayle.

For Clerk of the Court of Appeals—John B. Chenault and W. B. O'Connell.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction—M. O. Winfrey and E. A. Gullion.

For Commissioner of Agriculture—R. C. Crenshaw and J. W. Newman.

For Attorney General—John K. Hendrick and Lillard H. Carter.

For Lieutenant Governor—South Trimble.

By-Monthly Letter From Pupils of Hickman College.

We have arranged to give the pupils of Hickman College some space every two weeks, for the purpose of writing a school letter. This, we believe will tend to cause more or less interest in the school work, and enable the outsider to see what is being done, and what progress is being made. The only objection this week, the first letter, is that it seems Prof. Gabby was so conscientious in using newspaper space that he allowed the letter to be too brief. Perhaps he will wake up next time.

INTERESTING LECTURE.

On Tuesday September 11, Mr. L. A. Butney, of Atlanta Ga., made a brief address in chapel. In the course of his remarks he said that the pupils of West Kentucky were the most attractive he had ever seen also that we should never put our time on a subject unless we knew why we studied it, and further more that we should enter the world for people are now living at a higher rate of speed and competition is greater than ever before.

The enthusiasm of the pupils this year is the greatest shown for some time. Each one seems to have entered the work, resolved to do better than ever before.

Good Camera for Sale.

I have a first class magazine camera, (Cycloone No. 5) almost new, carries one dozen plates which can be taken out and developed as you wish; the simplest operated camera made, has button or bulb exposure, eight feet of tubing and bulb attached. Will sell at a very reasonable price and include chemicals and paper. Camera has a good lens and makes splendid pictures, just the size for pictures you want to keep. Costs less for supplies than a film camera of smaller size, and is much more convenient. A bargain if you want a camera. TYLER BEALE, Courier Office.

Union City so well known as the place of entertaining has eclipsed every former effort this year, as is shown from Fair Program. And now that they have secured special rates from Jackson and Waverly it is confidently expected that several hundred of our citizens will avail themselves of this opportunity, of not only helping our sister town, in their greatest effort, but that they will look forward to a day of sight seeing at one of the very best county fairs ever held in the state.

Burglars entered the machine shop of Geo. C. Buck, Monday night by carefully removing a window pane, putty and all, placing the glass carefully against the wall outside, and entering the window. They evidently had a very good idea of where the object of their entry was, for Mr. Buck's shot gun and rifle were the only objects missing. Exit was made out of one of the doors of the shop.

"He Who Most Succeeds Must Serve the Best"

Any merchant can fill newspaper space with vain boasting, or can cry aloud from the hill-tops, but this accomplishes nothing.

The real test of a firm's ability is shown only in large deals, where all competitors are placed on an equal basis. Then self-praise fades away, as the mist before the morning sun. Results alone count.

They show conclusively that the one that succeeds in securing patronage has—

- 1st, The right class of goods
- 2nd, The Lowest prices
- 3rd, Recognition as leaders in their line
- 4th, The same savings to offer you.



WE SERVE BEST....

Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Shirts, Pants, Overalls, Hosiery and Underwear.

Also a general line of Notions, Men's Furnishings and Toilet Articles.

We serve to please, we please to serve you with our Fall Line of Goods.

All articles are high grade in every respect, and carry a full guarantee. Anything you buy that is not satisfactory can be returned at once for exchange or return of money. Would be pleased to have you call and inspect our line of Fall Goods, just received.

L. M. KELLEY.
THE ONE-PRICE CASH STORE

W. P. Curlin Jr. Entertained Sunday Last.

The attractive little son of Dr. and Mrs. Prather Curlin made his first visit to his grandfather and mother Sunday last. A number of his friends were invited in to celebrate his first visit by dining with him, at noon the guests were invited into the dining room where the table was filled with delicate eatables, lemon ices being the last course, after which the little fellow treated his guests with cigars. In the afternoon music was rendered on the violin by Mr. Roy Clark and Mr. Tobe Capps, accompanied by Mrs. Dr. Prather and Willie Myrtle on the piano, which was appreciated by all. At a late hour the guests departed for home thanking the little fellow for his invitation and wished he would make his visits often and remember them. All that were present spent a jolly day.

Those present were: Mrs. Bettie Reed and daughter, Roy Clarke and Mrs. Nannie Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. John Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ballew, Mrs. John Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Capps and children, Bob Ballew and children, S. J. Self, L. Curlin, of Woodland, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ballew and children, Tyler Harper, J. E. Curlin, of Woodland.

We all like to see beautiful birds—we long to hear them sing. Those who do not have them. We are informed that on the night of Tuesday, Sept. 25, a rare collection of song birds will be at the Opera House, when the Beggar Prince

Opera Co. will present their great New York comic opera, "Birds of a Feather." The operas presented by the Beggar Prince management are always good, and Manager Harry Leavelle guarantees this year to have the best musical attraction ever brought to Hickman. The birds are two bachelors, Hobbs and Dobbs, and the opera treats of their love affairs. Mr. Harry Leavelle and Mr. Fred Godding will be seen as the Gay birds, and are ably assisted by Miss Etta Merris as "Anna." Miss Merris this season will introduce the latest specialties, assisted by the famous beauty chorus. Special scenery and electrical effects, together with gorgeous costumes, will make the Beggar Prince Opera Co. one of the leading attractions of the season. Seats on sale at Berendes Book Store.

If you want help, if you have something for sale or trade, if you have property for sale or rent, if you lose something—advertise in the Courier's Want Column. It costs only one cent a word and brings results. Try it and be convinced.

Union City never does anything on a cheap scale. It cost Union City a small fortune to put Jno. L. Sullivan on as an attraction, but this is Union City's way of doing things, and now that they are going to have the real Jno. L. let the people turn out and see his wonderful sparring contest.

Rev. C. L. Price and wife were in Fulton since our last issue.

Bunk Gardner, police judge at Mayfield, has announced himself as a candidate for railroad commissioner from the First district, which is composed of thirty-nine counties. Judge Gardner is the only opponent of McD. Ferguson, of LaGrater, the present commissioner from this district. W. H. Southall, of Hopkinton, who was a candidate, has withdrawn from the race, which will result in a hot race between McD. Ferguson and Gardner, both of whom are very popular in their district. A convention will likely be held next spring to make the nomination.

Railroad officials are acquiescing in the Hepburn rate bill, and, therefore, the shippers are becoming suspicious of the measure.

SHE FOUND RELIEF

If you are troubled with liver complaint and have not received help read this. Mrs. Mary E. Hammond Moody, Texas. "I was in poor health—with liver trouble—for over a year. Doctors did me no good and I tried Herbine, and three bottles cured me. I can't say too much for Herbine, as it is a wonderful liver medicine. I always have it in the house. Publish where you wish." Sold by Cowgill's Drug Store and Helm & Ellison.

A Yale professor claims that horse flesh is better food than beef. We are unable to judge. We are beginning to think we never tasted beef.

Jerre Malone was in Union City, one day last week.

The Confederate Reunion to be Held in Memphis.

Following is the letter being sent out to the Confederate Veterans throughout the south, urging them to be present at the Reunion to be held in Memphis, October 17th:

Hickman, Ky., Aug. 24, 1906. There will be held in Memphis, Tenn., October 17th, 1906, a Reunion of all Veterans who at any time served under Gen. N. B. Forrest. The citizens of Memphis are enthusiastic, and have promised to throw wide their doors and entertain every old Veteran in royal style. Committees will meet the Veterans at the train on the evening of the 16th and the morning of the 17th, assign them to their homes, and furnish them with orders for horses free to ride in the parade.

There will be a parade on horseback for all who can ride, and automobiles and carriages for all who are unable to ride horseback. It is proposed that we pass in review before the statue of our beloved old Commander, to be followed by appropriate exercises around his home. We will then repair to a beautiful park, where all will be served with an old-time Tennessee barbecue, all Veterans to form at the table in companies and regiments just as they disbanded. All regiments will join in the parade just as disbanded under the command of their senior surviving officer present. All regiments from each State to constitute a brigade except Tennesseans, who will be divided into two brigades, West Tennessee and Middle and East Tennessee. By an article of our Association every soldier of any and all arms of service who at any time during the war served under Gen. N. B. Forrest, and remained true and faithful to the cause unto the end, is entitled to recognition and membership in the corps, and will be admitted to all reunions and exercises without any further enrollment. Badges similar to those given out at New Orleans will be given all who attend that have not heretofore received them. Let every Veteran attend. We will never have such an opportunity to meet and pay loving tribute to him who led us through many a victorious battle. By order of

H. A. TYLER,
Lieut. Gen. Commanding,
CHAS. W. ANDERSON,
Col., Adj. Gen., and Chief of Staff.
All Southern papers please copy.

IF IT'S A REPUTATION

you are after, White's Cream Vermifuge has a world wide reputation as the best of all worm destroyers, and for its tonic influence on weak and unthrifty children. It improves their digestion and assimilation of their food, strengthens their nervous system and restores them to health and vigor nature to a child. If you want a healthy, happy child get a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge Sold by Cowgill's Drug Store and Helm & Ellison.

Jno. L. Sullivan that world famous pugilist, who for 75 rounds subjected his matchless courage, and unconquered ambition to Kilrain, the then, wonder of the world, in the hardest fought battle ever recorded, will be at Union City and a part of the program. Don't deny yourself this marvelous and hotly contested sparring contest which will be free and in view of all.

Frank Smith was thrown from the buggy in which he was driving, Monday and hurt painfully, though not seriously. While driving to town down the hill on Carroll street, holding the lines tight in his hand, the horse stumbled and fell forward and as a natural result threw Frank forward out of the buggy and under the horse's feet. This seems to be the facts as related to us by Mr. Smith, although just what happened is not known. The horse was hurt some, and Frank was painfully hurt on one leg and the back. His injuries are not serious.

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Items From Mabel Vicinity.

The late lamp, its commissary and heavy department render an unbroken transit around here. Mr. J. J. Yates driving past frequently in the usual business manner indicated for the other flank of the street.

Mr. Lee landed plenty of property.

Mr. Annie Summers with her children, came over the river last week to visit her father on Grassy Island and returned Sunday.

Charles Keverly and family returned to this neighborhood from Kansas Ridge last week.

Henry Patterson called on his daughter, Mrs. Emma Griffey Sunday, and after a pleasant visit with them, drove back to Hickman, Monday.

Wm. S. Berry, Jr., with his wife, and children, visited Henry Patterson Sunday. He speaks of his visit to Texas cheerfully.

Henry Patterson has been transferred from the responsible duties of the railroad line to be night watchman on the Singer Company's service at Mabel.

John Bower, though in delicate health at present, evinces his enduring enterprise, and is as courteous as ever on horseback or at home. The commercial clerk, Mr. Luther Tarkenton, is kept busy at the good Mabel store.

Lo Lovelace has a good practice abroad here and is highly esteemed, both socially and professionally. He anticipates making a tour to the Eastern States, Canada and Europe and is availing himself of Prof. J. A. Richardson's knowledge of French.

The New Hope School has twenty-five pupils with good attendance, system and progress. The extensive playground, environed by fine trees, reminds one of the Druids and Vestal Virgins, amid the melody of many birds, yet when merry children arrive, "a change comes o'er"

the spirit of my dreams."

The avenues through the woods from the New Hope School to the river are pretty, in the opinion of the teacher, J. A. Richardson.

Mrs. David Morrow has been quite ill for some days.

Jim Jones and family have suffered from sickness for a couple of weeks. It is to be hoped autumn will aid recovery.

Lewis D. Tullis, pilot on the John S. Summers, bound with a cargo of brick for Tiponville, spent an hour in interesting conversation at Henry Patterson's river view home last week. The veteran pilot is all right.

Roy Burns, the teacher from the Ky. Bend school, spent Saturday and Sunday with his wife and J. Stowe's family.

Teachers Association at Miss Annie Bellows' School at Sasasfras Ridge, Sept. 22.

Union City always the home of the 4th and of the states greatest fair. To show how we are growing and to what an extent we have pleased exhibitors the secretary rented 18 stalls last year to one man who this year closed up for 28.

At the Opera House the night of Tuesday, Sept. 25, "Birds of a Feather," the latest metropolitan success, will be presented by the Beggar Prince Opera Company. Hear the very latest songs—"Just Because your Hair is Curly," "You Look Awful Good to Father," "If you Cross your Heart you Love Me"—together with the famous beauty chorus. Hobbs and Dobbs are the birds, and they are a merry pair. Other birds will be seen—jay birds, song birds, birds of prey plumage—the finest lot of birds ever put in one cage.

Mrs. W. A. Dodds and Miss Estelle Redau and Aneta Reynolds left Sunday morning for St. Louis, where they will visit a week or ten days.

Way Father works

Mother lounges at the club, Willie motors, reckless cub, Teachers work on Polly's voice, Art for Mary—that's her choice, Susie thinks she'll write a book, Wears a soulful, haunted look, Gracie thinks that she will play A piano some sweet day, Baby has a nurse or two, Must be French or they won't do, This is all the family 'cept Father dear, and he is kept On the jump to get the seeds Needed for the other fads.

Miss Annie Lucile Bondurant left Saturday afternoon for Charlotte, N. C., where she enters school. She is one of the charming members of the I. T. Club, and her smiling face and wise counsel will be greatly missed, but the promises to be with us again after a number of months roll by, which is our only consolation. The best of wishes attend her.

Mr. J. C. Hendrix called at our office this week and ordered the Courier sent to his son, Hauly, who is in Denver, Colo. We are very glad to learn that Hauly is being benefited in health already.

W. J. Spradlin sold his beautiful new residence, this week to Prof. B. F. Gaby. The purchase price was about \$2,700. Mr. Spradlin and family will go to New Mexico in a few weeks, where they will make their future home.

Now that cool weather is here, the Masons will meet at the Masonic Hall every second and fourth Monday night. Visiting members cordially invited.

A. S. Rosedvie, W. M., H. C. Helm Sec'y.

The school board at Richmond, Ind., who issued a rule prohibiting kissing by pupils, has modified the order and will allow "kissing in moderation." It is yet to be determined how many kisses a day would be considered about enough.

Ellison Mercantile Company Made an Assignment.

On last Monday the Ellison Mercantile Co., made a deed of assignment, conveying to B. T. Davis all of the assets of every description for the benefit of their creditors, pro rata. The step was taken after mature deliberation, as the best plan to treat all alike.

The immediate cause of the assignment was the stringency of the money market and the inability to obtain sufficient funds to meet some maturing bills.

Mr. B. T. Davis accepted the trust, executed bond and is now engaged in making a schedule of the liabilities and an inventory of the assets. The liabilities will amount to about \$100,000, and are nearly all to wholesale dealers in the larger cities. The inventory of the assets is not completed but it is believed by those familiar with the stocks of goods that they will render at cost, something like \$10,000.

It is unfortunate that this concern was not able to continue. Always stocks of goods when sold under such circumstances bring very much less than their real value. The expense of settlement in considerable and a great loss is sustained.

The inventory of the stock is expected to be completed this week and a meeting of all the creditors is called Wednesday next at Ferguson McKinney's Dry Goods House in Saint Louis, and the assignee will ask their wishes in carrying out the terms of the assignment. It is not yet known whether the stocks will be knocked down to the highest bidder or the assignee be directed by the Court to run the business during the fall months.

The Ellison Mercantile Company is one of the best known concerns in this end of the State; they have been large operators in buying grain, cotton and produce, and have for years carried an immense stock of merchandise. They incorporated about four years ago. The stock in the company, we are told, is held by L. P. Ellison, W. S. Ellison and E. R. Ellison, except \$2,500, which is held by three parties living in the Eastern cities. L. P. Ellison has been doing business at the same house on Clinton Street for the past 24 years. The concern was first known as Smith, Ellison & Co. After many years the firm was succeeded by L. P. & W. S. Ellison, and was continued in that name until the incorporation of the company in 1902.

The failure of such a concern is a calamity to the town, even though not a dollar may be lost by any citizen of Hickman on account of it. It is believed that very few of the creditors if any, live in this vicinity.

When a great concern goes down like a great tree of the forest, upturned by the storm, there is a vacancy and a place that must be filled. Smaller trees may come but the big one is gone.

The Ellisons have many friends in Hickman who were profoundly shocked to hear of their misfortune and who join with us in hoping that they may get on their feet again and fill the place that is theirs by long established custom and usage.

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Lee Timmons and Miss Winnie Montgomery and Chas. Emerson and Miss Clara Montgomery were married Sunday morning at Walter McCuen's residence, in Fulton. The ladies are sisters and lived near Water Valley. The young men are from Lynnville.

Jim Graham, at Paducah, was captured and made a full confession of the murder of Claude Bass in which he says that he never killed him for his money, but during mad frenzy struck him with a wagon spoke.

A monument to the memory of George Washington was unveiled at Budapest, Hungary, yesterday, and thousands of persons attended the exercises, in which the first President of this country was eulogized highly, as were the people of the United States.

Wess Herdley and Miss Eliza Leknar, a young couple from Missouri, were married at the court house last week. Judge W. A. Naylor officiating. They will reside near Dorena, Mo.

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Paducah School Remains in a Bad Shape.

The arbitration committee, composed of ten reputable citizens, to settle the matter of selecting a teacher in English for the public schools, is as badly deadlocked as the board of education was. Three members of the committee have resigned and there is no prospect of a settlement unless some member gives in. While the committee is deadlocked the schools are suffering for the teacher in English.

Miss Emma Morgan was the former teacher in English, and when it came to an election several weeks ago the board was equally divided on Miss Morgan, six being for her and six against her. In November a number of city officers will be elected and the Morgan question will cut a figure in the races of school trustees.

We are authorized to announce that the State U. D. C. Convention will be held October 3d and 4th at the Confederate Home in Pewee Valley, Ky.

Thousands of persons trying to get a close glimpse of Mrs. Nicholas Longworth at Columbus, O., Friday as she was about to unveil the monument of William McKinley, crowded so that a panic ensued, and many persons were injured. The exercises were hastily ended and were concluded in a hall.

The meanest man has been found in Philadelphia. He dropped a large roll of bills on the street and a boy who found it returned the money to him. Counting the bundle carefully, the owner put it in his pocket. "My son," he said, benignly, to the boy, "I am rejoiced to see that you are guided by lofty principles, and as an earnest of my approbation shall refrain from charging you interest for the time you had my money."

Route No. One

Charlie Higgs and Jim Kemp are hauling logs.

Miss Jessie Outten went to Hickman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Edwards are visiting relatives in Fulton.

Miss Jessie Brown visited Miss Emmie Werner last Thursday.

Mr. Roger Creed was working at the Mengel factory last week.

Mr. Chas. Werner had some improvements made on his house.

Luther Bolton and Willie Brown went to Dyersburg Tenn., Saturday.

Miss Gussie Werner visited little Miss Carrie May Creed Sunday evening.

Miss Jessie Outten was the guest of Mrs. Henry Mangold Sunday evening.

Mrs. Laura Williams who has been sick for the past two weeks is able to be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Knaebel were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Werner and family Sunday.

Herman Werner, Jackie Lattus, Charlie Lattus, Katie Lattus are visiting relatives in Graves County.

Miss Bell Wilson will attend school at Troy Tenn., and she will stay with her sister Mrs. Herman Marshall.

Does whiskey make a town?

Five years ago Fayetteville, N. C. had on deposit in the bank \$275,000.

They abolished the saloon and the increase in deposits has been nearly four hundred per cent in five years.

They now have almost one million dollars on deposit, representing the savings of her citizens since the saloon was abolished. This is only one instance in hundreds that could be cited. Abolish the saloon and establish a savings bank, and let the sons of toil lay aside their earnings for a rainy day.—Ea.

Confederate Veterans Hold Reunion at Fulton.

The Reunion of the Second Kentucky Brigade, U. C. V., with Camp Pledge 990, assembled at Fulton Ky., last week. Speaking of the re-union, the Fulton Leader says at an early hour the old soldiers commenced to assemble at the City Hall to register and have their usual greetings. At eleven o'clock they marched out to Carr's Park where Mayor U. S. Shacklett delivered the welcome address and turned over the keys of the city. Miss Hettie Collins delivered the welcome address for Crossland Chapter U. D. C. responded to by Capt. T. J. Elmore, of Mayfield.

R. Johnson, of Rives, made an excellent address, followed by Brigadier General W. J. Stone, commanding Second Brigade.

Not the least pleasing feature of the occasion was the big basket dinner and barbecue at noon hour. Everything good to eat imaginable was spread for the old heroes.

After dinner an address was delivered by Gen'l. H. B. Lyon, of Lyon's Kentucky Brigade, followed by Hon. Henry George, Supt. Confederate Home at Pewee Valley, and Gen'l. H. A. Tyler, commanding First's Cavalry.

The election of officers is an annual occurrence of the Second Kentucky Brigade, and it was due then for such an election. In a brief, but brilliant talk, Hon. Henry George placed in nomination, Gen'l. W. J. Stone, who was elected by acclamation as commander of the Second Kentucky Brigade.

The music and short talks were enjoyed and the closing scenes will long be remembered as a general love feast.

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Dr. Williams Under Nominal Bond at Clinton.

The examining trial of Dr. Jeff Williams, charged with killing Vaughan Moore on the night of the 10th, was held Wednesday afternoon before Judge Mott Brummal, and after hearing the testimony and argument of counsel Judge Brummal found the accused man's bond at \$10,000, which was readily given, some ten or a dozen men voluntarily signing it.

It developed on the trial that Moore came to Clinton under the influence of liquor and acted like an insane man most of the day Monday. It was evident that he "had it in for" Williams, and owing to his condition Williams was in momentary expectation of an attack. Moore made himself unpleasant to almost everyone who came to the house, and all feared him in his then condition.

At the time of the shooting Williams had been told that Moore had secured a pistol from a dresser in the room. When Williams stepped out on the porch Moore was sitting on the steps and as soon as he saw the object of his mortal dislike the evidence was that he lurched forward and seemed to be trying to get a pistol from his hip pocket. Fearing for his own life, Williams then shot him. All the testimony tended to show that Moore was insane from drink and that he was thought to be dangerous by those who had come in contact with him. Williams seeming to be an especial object of his drunken hatred. Whether it would have ever led him into making an attack on the life of Williams can now be merely a subject for conjecture, but Williams thought he was in danger and acted very much as the average man would have done under the circumstances.

With the evidence that was brought forward at the examining trial before it, no jury is very apt to hold Williams guilty of a crime against the laws of the land in killing Moore.—Clinton Gazette.

Rev. Sam G. Jones, who has been conducting a series of revival meetings at the Glen Adile Presbyterian Church in Anniston, Ala., was suddenly stricken with apoplexy while kneeling in prayer at the church Sunday night, and after remaining alone in the church all night was removed to his home in Mississippi, where a wife and four children awaited his coming. On Sunday night he knelt in prayer, and as he continued on his knees for some time, the congregation became alarmed and an attempt was made to raise him. He appeared, however, to be in a stupor, and thinking that it was religious influence, he was wrapped snugly in blankets and left for the night. The next morning he was taken to the home of a neighbor and a physician summoned, who stated that a peculiar malady similar to apoplexy had stricken the pastor.

If you want help, if you have something for sale or trade, if you have property for sale or rent, if you lose something—advertise in the Courier's Want Column. It costs only one cent a word and brings results. Try it and be convinced.

Kimbro Gets Five Years in the Penitentiary.

James Kimbro, the negro desperado, who entered the home of Mrs. Annie Arrington, near Moscow with intentions of assault and robbery, was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. Kimbro narrowly missed a lynching and the entire community in the Moscow neighborhood was greatly aroused over his attempted assault, but after exhausting him, the officers took every precaution to elude the angry citizens and kept him on the go all the time until he was finally tried and sentenced. The negro was apprehended at Cairo about two months ago and carried to Mayfield, but a hint to the officers was sufficient and he was removed to Paducah and afterwards brought to this county for trial.

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An easy way to spoil an evening meal is for each one to relate the disappointments that have happened, the slights endured, or the offenses given. These are enough to counteract the effect of all good things the most generous and skillful housewife can place upon her table.

Why has a boy any more right to leave his hat on the parlor table than a girl, his gloves on the mantel, his coat on the chair or newel post, and his shoes in the middle of the room? He can learn orderliness just as well as his sister if he begins in time. Now is the time to begin.

If the boy is to be a "little gentleman" when away from home, he must be taught, and not by precept alone, but as well by example, when he is at home. And the influence of the example of the father upon the son, of the mother upon the daughter, will be much more potent than any amount of advice or any rules of etiquette.

The misguided who assert that marriage as an institution is a failure are generally gazing through spectacles blurred by their own mistakes. They have made a failure perhaps and it may be because of selfishness. There are a thousand happy heart-throbs to one that is cold and cheerless—a thousand prizes to our blank, and we usually hear more about prizes than blanks. Marriage is not a failure. Some individuals are.

It is probably not true that family "manners," are less courteous now than formerly, probably the reverse is the fact, but it must be admitted that there is yet room for a great deal of improvement. Somehow, somewhere, there has crept into popular acceptance the idea that with marriage, or at least with the waning of the honeymoon, the "lover days" are over, and the kindest gentleness, and attention and the tenderest of care, the economy of the wedded pair.

Every inebriate you see staggering along the road or street, you know is going to make some woman's life miserable. Some wife or mother, or helpless children are to be at the mercy of the madman. You smile at his antics, without pity for her who is to be the agonized sufferer, nor give a thought of what you might do to help her in her friendless, homeless condition—for the wife of a drunkard, rich or poor, living in gilded halls, or squalid hut, has no home. The tender associations that cluster around that sacred name do not include drunkenness. The two kingdoms, heaven and home, do not admit the drunkard, where he lives is hell.

We occasionally observe our masculine brothers take some exception to our ideal in this column. Well, we don't blame them, they were not particularly written for them, although we believe there is much in this department that would do them good, and are glad to know that some give them a reading. We write particularly in the interests of our wives and daughters, (with an occasional hint for father and sons) and we have received the testimony of many, that they have been greatly encouraged by what they have found in this department, and so we feel our labor is not entirely in vain, but we are encouraged to work on, and as best we can, promote the interest of the Household.

While Robert S. Ingersoll is not often quoted in a Home Circle Department, and his teachings were harmful to the home, yet he said some of the most beautiful things ever spoken and said them the best. He was on one occasion asked to give two views in a symposium of women and in reply said: "It takes a hundred men to make an encampment, but one woman can make a home. I not only admire woman as the most beautiful object ever

created, but I reverence her as the redeemed glory of humanity, of all virtues, the pledge of all perfect qualities of heart and head. It is because women are so much better than men that their faults are considered greater. The one thing in this world, that is constant, the only peak that rises above all the clouds, the one window in which the light burns forever, the one star that darkness cannot quench, is woman's love. It rises to the greatest heights, it sinks to the lowest depths, it forgives the most cruel injuries. A woman's love is the perfume of the heart. This is real love that subdues the earth, the love that has wrought all miracles of art; that gives us music all the way from the cradle song to the grand closing symphony that bears the soul away on wings of fire. A love that is greater than power, sweeter than life and stronger than death.

FOR THE LIVING

If our friends have caskets sealed up and laid away, filled with the sweet perfume of love and kindness which they intend to unseal when their hand is stilled in death, while 'tis sweet to think that a rose may be planted over our graves, we would very much prefer they would unseal them while we are climbing this rugged and briered path of life and the keen thorns of pain are lurking near, that weary hours may be cheered and life refreshed and sanctified now while tired and almost ready to sink by the wayside and no further go. A plain casket and no flowers, if need be, will be all the body will need after the soul has taken flight to other worlds than this, but oh, fill the life with sweetness, kindness and love. Plant a rose on the hearthstone of neighbor and friend, that its modest silent sweetness may kiss the weary heart at morn, at noon, at eve and at every hour. "Flowers on the grave cast no fragrance backward over the weary years." Plant yet a rose that it may mildly bloom over the living. Keep it not for the dead, where it must bloom bowed and silently wept.

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Mr. M. F. Chambers, of Jordan, writes us:

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Mr. Lydwell Gardner, of Union City, and in town Friday.

Annual Stockholders' Meeting at Chicago October 17

Public notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central Railroad Company will be held at the Company's office in Chicago, Ill., on Wednesday, October 17, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon.

To permit personal attendance at said meeting there will be issued to each holder of one or more shares of the capital stock of the I. C. Railroad Company, as registered on the books of the company at the close of business on Monday, September 24, 1906, who is of full age, a ticket enabling him or her to travel free over the company's lines from the station on the Illinois Central railroad nearest to his or her registered address to Chicago and return such ticket to be good for the journey to Chicago only during the four days immediately preceding and the day of the meeting, and for the return journey from Chicago only on the day of the meeting and the four days immediately following when properly counter-signed and stamped during business hours on or before Saturday, October 20, 1906—that is to say, between 9 a. m. and 6 p. m. in the office of the assistant secretary, Mr. W. F. Bruen, in Chicago. Such ticket may be obtained by any holder of stock registered as above, on application, in writing, to the President of the company in Chicago, but each stockholder must individually apply for his or her ticket. Each application must state the full name and address of the stockholder exactly as given in his or her certificate of stock, together with the number and date of such certificate. No more than one person will be carried free in respect to any one holding of stock as registered on the books of the company.

A. G. Hackstaff,
Secretary.

A very important notice has been issued by the Secretary of the Treasury to various National banks where Government funds are deposited.

must not be used for speculative purposes. The recent bull market in Wall St. has made money scarce and call rates have gone soaring around 10 per cent. The Secretary of the Treasury states in his letter to the banks that he recognizes the right of individuals, or even of banks, to loan money for speculation on ample security and at reasonable rates of interest, but he says emphatically that the Government funds, recently deposited in various National banks, were put there to help business and not for speculative purposes. He says that if banks have more money than they can legitimately use in their own locality such deposits will be recalled and put where they will do the most good. The effect of this announcement was almost instantaneous. Call money in New York dropped from a point to a point and one-half, indicating that the money famine was rather of an artificial nature.

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John D. Rockefeller has subscribed a fund for the purpose of sending missionaries into the mountain districts of Kentucky. If Mr. Rockefeller will come with them and take the medicine he prescribes for those rough, though honest people, their mission may not be without result, though he be the only convert.

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